

## GERMANY

NOTE: The Federal Republic of Germany and the German Democratic Republic (GDR) unified on October 3, 1990. GDR claims are no longer in force following German unification.

### a. SUMMARY OF CLAIMS

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
<b>I. TERRITORIAL SEA</b>	1956		3nm	
	Mar 85	Federal Government implementation of Minister of the Interior Decision <u>Bundesgesetzblatt</u> Part I, p. 1366 11/12/83	3nm-16nm	Published coordinates creating a box in Helgolander Bucht which, at one point, extends the territorial sea to 16nm.
	Jan 95	Proclamation of 11/11/94	12nm	Although a deep-water anchorage west of Helgoland remains a part of the territorial sea, the box in Helgolander Bucht is no longer claimed. The claim preserves a 4 nm-wide high seas corridor through the Femeer Belt, to a point north of the approaches to Rostock, to a point south of the Island of Man.
<b>II. ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, &amp; HISTORIC CLAIMS</b>	1970			Straight baselines in North Sea published on FRG charts.
	May 78			Established straight baselines in Baltic Sea.
	Mar 85	Federal Government implementation of Minister of the Interior Decision <u>Bundesgesetzblatt</u> Part I, p. 1366 11/12/83		Established additional lines (by coordinates) creating a "box" extension of territorial sea claim in Helgolander Bucht. Claim revised by Proclamation of 11/11/94.
<b>IV. CONTINENTAL SHELF</b>	Jan 64	Declaration	1958 DEF	
<b>V. FISHING ZONE/EEZ</b>	Jan 77	Proclamation No. 67 of 12/22/76	200nm	Fishing zone in the North Sea; delimitation by agreement of states concerned.
	Jun 78	Proclamation		Extended fishing limits in the Baltic.
	Jan 95	Proclamation of 11/24/94	200nm	EEZ.
<b>VII. MARITIME BOUNDARIES</b>	Sep 65	Agreement		Continental shelf boundary agreement with the Netherlands EIF.
	May 66	Agreement		Continental shelf boundary agreement with Denmark (North Sea) EIF.
	Dec 72	Agreements		Continental shelf boundary agreements with Denmark, the Netherlands and the UK EIF.

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<b>VII. MARITIME BOUNDARIES (Cont.)</b>	Oct 74	Agreement		Continental shelf boundary agreement with the GDR EIF.
	Jun 77	Agreement		Continental shelf boundary agreement with Denmark (Baltic) EIF.
	Nov 90	Agreement		Agreement with Poland signed.
<b>VIII. LOS CONVENTION</b>	Jul 94			Part XI Agreement signed.
	Jul 94			Convention acceded to and Part XI Agreement ratified.
	Oct 94			Date of Accession.

**b. DOMESTIC LEGISLATION AND REGULATIONS**

**1. TERRITORIAL SEA**

**A. LEGISLATION.**

EXCERPTS FROM PROCLAMATION OF 11 NOVEMBER 1994 BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY CONCERNING THE BREADTH OF THE GERMAN TERRITORIAL SEA

I.

The outer limit of the territorial sea of the Federal Republic of Germany in the North Sea shall be a line running at a distance of 12 nm, measured from the low-water line and the straight baselines, as appropriate.

(1) The North Sea

The existing deep-water anchorage shall remain part of the territorial sea, its limits being a line connecting the following points:

1	54°08'11"N	7°24'36"E
2	54°08'19"N	7°26'59"E
3	54°01'39"N	7°33'04"E
4	54°00'27"N	7°24'36"E

The geographical coordinates of the above points shall be determined by reference to European Datum (ED 50).

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(2) Baltic Sea.

The outer limit of the territorial sea of the Federal Republic of Germany in the Baltic Sea shall be a line connecting the following points:

1	54°44'17"N	10°10'14"E
2	54°41'46"N	10°13'12"E
3	54°39'27"N	10°15'34"E
4	54°36'45"N	10°18'36"E
5	54°35'35"N	10°20'24"E
6	54°34'08"N	10°25'47"E

7	54°32'51"N	10°30'24"E
8	54°31'14"N	10°35'63"E
9	54°30'39"N	10°39'12"E
10	54°30'51"N	10°54'21"E
11	54°32'50"N	10°49'16"E
12	54°33'21"N	1058'51"E
13	54°34'10"N	11°00'07"E
14	54°34'37"N	11°08'33"E
15	54°33'31"N	11°12'23"E
16	54°31'46"N	11°18'44"E
17	54°30'46"N	11°19'23"E
18	54°30'18"N	11°21'03"E
19	54°28'26"N	11°24'13"E
20	54°26'23"N	11°28'34"E
21	54°24'27"N	11°32'22"E
22	54°22'25"N	11°35'23"E
23	54°19'53"N	11°38'44"E
24	54°20'01"N	11°57'10"E
25	54°23'07"N	12°09'13"E
26	54°23'07"N	12°09'59"E
27	54°27'04"N	12°15'35"E
28	54°30'42"N	12°18'05"E
29	54°31'05"N	12°17'36"E
30	54°34'40"N	12°19'24"E
31	54°44'38"N	12°45'00"E

From point (31), the limit shall continue running at a distance of 12 nm, measured from the low-water line and the straight baselines, as appropriate, until reaching point (32) as follows:

32	54°16'30,3"N	14°04'49,9"E
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From this point, the outer limit shall be a line connecting the following points:

33	54°16'14,8"N	14°04'14,7",E
34	54°14'22,0"N	14°10'08,9"E
35	54°07'36,4"N	14°12'09,1"E
36	53°59'18,1"N	14°14'35,9"E
37	53°55'42,1"N	14°13'37,8"E

The geographic coordinates of the above points shall be determined by reference to European Datum (ED 50).

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In some areas of the Baltic Sea, the breadth of the territorial sea as extended by virtue of the present Proclamation is less than 12 nm permitted under international law. This shall not be construed as meaning a renunciation of the Federal Republic of Germany's legal claim to the full breadth of the territorial sea.

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## 2. EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE

### EXCERPTS FROM THE PROCLAMATION CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN EXCLUSIVE ECONOMIC ZONE OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY IN THE NORTH SEA AND IN THE BALTIC SEA OF 25 NOVEMBER 1994

I

The Federal Republic of Germany shall establish, as of 1 January 1995, an exclusive economic zone in the North Sea and in the Baltic Sea beyond the outer limit of its territorial sea.

II

The outer limit of the exclusive economic zone of the Federal Republic of Germany in the North Sea shall be a line connecting the following points:

E <sub>0</sub>	53° 43' 30.8" N	6° 20' 49.7" E
E <sub>1</sub>	53° 45' 03.0" N	6° 19' 58.3" E
E <sub>2</sub>	53° 48' 52.9" N	6° 15' 51.3" E
E <sub>3</sub>	53° 59' 56.8" N	6° 06' 28.2" E
E <sub>4</sub>	54° 11' 12.0" N	6° 00' 00.0" E
E <sub>5</sub>	54° 37' 12.0" N	5° 00' 00.0" E
E <sub>6</sub>	55° 00' 00.0" N	5° 00' 00.0" E
E <sub>7</sub>	55° 20' 00.0" N	4° 20' 00.0" E
E <sub>8</sub>	55° 45' 54.0" N	3° 22' 13.0" E
D	55° 50' 06.0" N	3° 24' 00.0" E
S <sub>7</sub>	55° 55' 09.4" N	3° 21' 00.0" E
S <sub>6</sub>	55° 46' 21.8" N	4° 15' 00.0" E
S <sub>5</sub>	55° 24' 15.0" N	4° 45' 00.0" E
S <sub>4</sub>	55° 15' 00.0" N	5° 09' 00.0" E
S <sub>3</sub>	55° 15' 00.0" N	5° 24' 12.0" E
S <sub>2</sub>	55° 30' 40.3" N	5° 45' 00.0" E

S <sub>1</sub>	55° 10' 03.4" N	7° 33' 09.6" E
S <sub>0</sub>	55° 05' 59.4" N	8° 02' 44.4" E

The geographical co-ordinates of the above points shall be determined by reference to European Datum (ED 50).

III

The outer limits of the exclusive economic zone of the Federal Republic of Germany in the Baltic Sea shall be a line connecting the following points:

1	54° 45' 24.0" N	10° 13' 06.0" E
2	54° 42' 49.7" N	10° 16' 07.9" E
3	54° 40' 29.6" N	10° 18' 29.9" E
4	54° 37' 59.9" N	10° 21' 18.4" E
5	54° 37' 15.4" N	10° 22' 27.6" E
6	54° 35' 56.8" N	10° 27' 15.9" E
7	54° 34' 37.0" N	10° 31' 58.5" E
8	54° 33' 06.0" N	10° 36' 50.0" E
9	54° 32' 39.8" N	10° 39' 37.3" E
10	54° 32' 49.2" N	10° 43' 59.0" E
11	54° 34' 52.3" N	10° 48' 02.1" E
12	54° 37' 10.2" N	10° 52' 25.1" E
13	54° 38' 14.6" N	10° 54' 15.3" E
14	54° 38' 28.3" N	11° 00' 20.7" E
15	54° 38' 16.3" N	11° 04' 30.0" E
16	54° 37' 19.7" N	11° 09' 28.2" E
17	54° 36' 33.0" N	11° 12' 30.9" E
18	54° 35' 11.2" N	11° 15' 36.4" E
19	54° 34' 11.6" N	11° 19' 17.7" E
20	54° 31' 57.0" N	11° 23' 04.8" E
21	54° 29' 53.1" N	11° 26' 36.6" E
22	54° 27' 53.4" N	11° 30' 49.9" E
23	54° 25' 47.7" N	11° 34' 55.1" E
24	54° 23' 36.0" N	11° 38' 12.2" E
25	54° 21' 56.7" N	11° 40' 20.7" E
26	54° 21' 53.4" N	11° 40' 14.7" E
27	54° 22' 00.5" N	11° 56' 25.6" E
28	54° 24' 39.9" N	12° 06' 43.5" E
29	54° 41' 15.9" N	12° 26' 35.7" E

30	54° 45' 49.7" N	12° 44' 59.9" E
31	54° 50' 01.7" N	12° 56' 02.4" E
32	55° 00' 30.2" N	13° 08' 53.1" E
33	55° 00' 37.9" N	13° 09' 26.8" E
34	55° 01' 16.9" N	13° 47' 08.4" E
35	54° 57' 53.9" N	13° 59' 15.3" E
36	54° 57' 44.8" N	13° 59' 34.2" E
37	54° 48' 45.0" N	14° 10' 22.0" E
38	54° 48' 45.0" N	14° 24' 51.0" E
39	54° 39' 30.0" N	14° 24' 51.0" E
40	54° 32' 10.4" N	14° 38' 12.2" E
41	54° 31' 57.7" N	14° 37' 42.0" E
42	54° 29' 56.4" N	14° 44' 56.7" E
43	54° 22' 56.5" N	14° 35' 55.7" E
44	54° 10' 04.6" N	14° 21' 05.0" E
45	54° 07' 35.0" N	14° 14' 18.9" E
46	54° 07' 36.4" N	14° 12' 09.1" E

The geographical co-ordinates of the above points shall be determined by reference to European Datum (ED 50).

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The lines connecting, respectively, points 25 and 26, 32 and 33, 35 and 36, as well as 40 and 41 have been drawn on the proviso that they are subject to pertinent agreements with the neighboring states concerned in each case.